

## MAYOR'S PEACE OFFER REJECTED; 35,000 ATTEND WORKER'S FUNERAL

## THOUSANDS SWAYED BY AFL SPOKESMAN

Philadelphia, March 15.—More than 35,000 persons were massed in McPherson Square at the funeral of Carl Mackley, union hosiery worker, who was killed by H. C. Aberle Hosiery Company gunner.

The outpouring was the largest assemblage at any funeral in the city's history, and was climaxed when Edward F. McGrady, legislative representative A. F. of L., who represented President Roosevelt, called on the multitude to pledge their lives to war on poverty, and that they will not be intimidated by hired assassins and traitors.

The amplifiers threw back to

Four strikebreakers from the thick-

The workers have been from industrial enslavement by "arbitrary despots," and they declare that the incident was "one of the most gripping and dramatic in this city."

Mayor Mackey he "does not understand the situation" when he pleads ignorance.

The workers have been on strike for several weeks against a wage cut and a new contract. They are affiliated to the Full Family Federation of Workers, a unit of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America. They have been subjected to various orders by court-appointed police. They were enjoined by Judge McDevitt, who orders them to return to work, on pretext that the case four strikers were denied bail on the ground that they violated the law. The strikers, however, discovered the unionists would fight that ruling he announced he was not going to enforce. He then admitted the four men on breach-of-the-peace charges and placed each of them under \$1,000 bonds.

Mr. Green said that the present

Washington, March 15.—The value

The agent of a lumber company paid wages in trade checks redeemable at the company store. He was sentenced to pay a fine of \$300 or serve 30 days in jail.

Company attorneys were upheld in their attack on the law, which is a

As the Ford method of production is being applied to such a wide range of skilled craftsmen, it is interesting to read his statement that "every man has a right to a job." This is a natural question is. Why? In order to secure a position in Ford's plant where one man is taught to screw on a bolt and another one to tighten a nut 601

"It is not a novel idea that schools can produce skilled mechanics out of boys," says Mr. Frey. "But the employers' associations have tried this scheme, with disastrous results, while the Ford method has produced the skilled workmen that industry has needed for years." Mr. Ford's press representatives have pointed out that the answer to the present situation in industry is the shortage of skilled workmen is not

Republican convention, carried two States—Utah and Vermont.

**WVA GARMENT WORKERS** in the **STREET** Oskaloosa, Iowa, March 15.—Members of the United Garment Workers are backed out by Michaelson, Meadows, Inc. Wages are set 40 per cent, the anti-trust suit is pending and the nine-hour day is not installed.

The firm manufactures "Pell overalls" and the following brands: "Z. R. Flyer," "Trainman's" Specimen and "Glan" brand. The firm is also making "Lucky Boy" and "Like Daddy Wears."

**STEREOTYPES GAIN**

Milwaukee, Wis., March 15.—Newspapers in this city and Racine are paying increased wages to \$49.12 for day work and \$52.16 for night work. Former rates were \$48.93 and \$51.51.

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